

## PARTS OF A BASKET

- ① **splints**: Usually harvested from a brown ash tree, these strips of wood are used to weave many kinds of baskets.
- ② **binder**: This is the splint used to firmly fix the rim to the rest of the basket. There are many different styles of binders.
- ③ **rim**: This is the upper edge of the basket. Usually, it is reinforced with another splint on the inside.
- ④ **standards**: These are the splints that make up the bottom and upright sides of the basket.
- ⑤ **weavers**: These are the splints that are placed horizontally, intertwined within the standards, to make the body of the basket.

